

# Frederick County Department of Aging

## Day Trips: February-May 2014

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### Crime Museum

Where else can you explore the history of crime and punishment, experience driving and shooting simulators, and learn the real CSI procedures? At the Crime Museum (DC) you can explore all this and more. The Crime Museum includes a crime lab and the filming studios for America's Most Wanted. A simulated FBI shooting range, high-speed police-chase, and hundreds of interactives and artifacts fill the 3-floor museum.

**Date** Friday, February 7

*Registration closes Friday, Jan. 24*

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$45 per person

**Lunch:** Bring money to buy lunch

### NIH Visitor Center & National Library of Medicine Visitor Center

The National Institutes of Health (Bethesda), a part of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, is the nation's medical research agency. This agency makes important discoveries that improve health and save lives. Upon arrival we'll be welcomed at the NIH Visitor Center & Nobel Laureate Exhibit Hall and given an overview of NIH. Our tour will include the National Library of Medicine, lunch at the NIH cafeteria, and a visit to the NIH Clinical Center.

**There is a lot of walking on this trip.**

**Date** Friday, February 21

*Registration closes Friday, February 7*

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$30 per person

**Lunch:** Bring money to buy lunch

### Madame Tussauds Wax Museum

Madame Tussauds (DC) is the ultimate celebrity experience. Get up close to life-like wax figures of the most famous pop stars, Hollywood legends, sporting heroes and historical icons - all within one place. Exhibits include: Presidents Gallery, Civil Rights Room, Glamour Room (Hollywood celebrities), Sports Zone, Media Room, and Behind the Scenes (an exclusive look at the secrets behind Madame Tussauds' wax figures).

**Date:** Friday, March 7

*Registration closes Friday, February 21*

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$45 per person

**Lunch:** Bring money to buy lunch

### Maryland Science Center

The Maryland Science Center, (Baltimore) includes three levels of exhibits, a planetarium and an observatory. A new exhibit, Target America, explores the science behind drug addiction (including prescription drugs) and the countless costs of drugs, to individuals, American society, and the world. Follow the Blue Crab in an exhibit focusing on the Chesapeake Bay and its relationship to Maryland and the Mid-Atlantic. Other exhibits include: Life Beyond Earth, Newton's Alley, Your Body: The Inside Story, SpaceLink and TerraLink. There is also an IMAX Theater (extra cost).

**Date:** Friday, March 21

*Registration closes Friday, March 7*

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$45 per person

**Lunch:** Bring money to buy lunch

**Trips fill fast!**  
**Register at any county**  
**senior center!**

**Registration begins**  
**Tuesday, January 21**

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### Ellicott City Your Way

The five block historic district in old town Ellicott City is lined with 50+ boutiques and bistros with fun and fabulous offerings for every season and every budget. The Antique Depot is an antiques and collectibles mall with over 80 dealers located downtown. It is located across the street from the B&O Railroad Station Museum.

**Date:** Friday, April 11

*Registration closes Friday, March 28*

**Time:** 9:30 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$25 per person

**Lunch:** Bring money to buy lunch

### Franciscan Monastery & Basilica of the National Shrine

The Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in America is one of Washington, D.C.'s hidden treasures. It stands as an Oasis of Peace in the middle of bustling Washington. It is a house of worship, an architectural marvel, and a sprawling expanse of gardens.

The Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception is the largest Roman Catholic Church in North America. The Basilica is renowned for its architecture, sacred art, and rich Catholic and American history and heritage.

**There is a lot of walking on this trip.**

**Date:** Friday, April 25

*Registration closes Friday, April 11*

**Time:** 9:30 a.m.-approximately 4:00 p.m.

**Cost:** \$30 per person (in addition the tours are free but each site accepts donations)

**Lunch:** Bring lunch

### Homewood & Evergreen Museums

Homewood Museum's (Baltimore) collections consist of fine and decorative arts objects representative of the furnishings during the Carroll family's occupancy (1775-1825). Evergreen Museum houses an intimate collection of fine and decorative arts, rare books and manuscripts assembled by two generations of the Garrett family.

**Date:** Friday, May 9

*Registration closes Friday, April 25*

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 4:00 p.m.

**Cost:** \$45 per person

**Lunch:** Bring lunch

### Belle Grove Plantation and Old Town Winchester

Belle Grove, one of the outstanding historic mansions of the Shenandoah Valley, shows evidence of the cultures that came to the Valley with the early settlers. Like other period houses built in the Valley, the design shows Thomas Jefferson's influence.

Old Town Winchester is located within the center of the National Register Historic District and features a pedestrian mall filled charming shops, delicious restaurants, centuries-old architecture, and numerous historical landmarks.

**Date:** Friday, May 16

*Registration closes Friday, May 2*

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 4:00 p.m.

**Cost:** \$40 per person

**Lunch:** Bring money to buy lunch

### Trip Registration Information

**Registration begins Tuesday, January 21**

Registrations will not be accepted without payment.

Paid reservations are non-refundable but are transferable to another person for the same trip.

Registrations may be made at any of the Frederick County Senior Centers.

Unless indicated, Department of Aging vehicles will be used for trip transportation.

All trips leave from the Frederick Senior Center, 1440 Taney Avenue, Frederick, MD 21702

A copy of Trip Policies and Procedures is available at any of the Senior Centers.

**For more information call 301-600-7020. [www.FrederickCountyMD.gov/aging](http://www.FrederickCountyMD.gov/aging)**

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